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1. On 25 September 1950, railroad repair shops in Wittenberge and Hagenow-Land, Schwerin Reichsbahndirektion, began converting boxcars into troop trains. On 29 September their quota amounted to 40 boxcars.
2. Between 2 and 11 October, elements of the 21st Guards Mechanized Division and the 57th Guards Motorized Rifle Division entrained at Eisenach, Gotha, and Sattelstedt. Trains left Eisenach at the rate of two or three per day. Railroad men said that the entraining began on 30 September. Approximately 40 guns were observed being loaded on 8 October and 28 AT guns of 50 or 60 mm. on 9 October. Trucks, troops and signal equipment were also loaded.*
- 25X1B 3. Shuttle trains [REDACTED], each composed of 53 boxcars loaded with troops, came from the direction of Falkenberg to Jüterbog-Altes Lager on 12 October.
4. Shuttle train number 24011, composed of 54 boxcars, was observed on 15 October en route from the direction of Cottbus to Eberswalde.
- 25X1B 5. Shuttle train [REDACTED] composed of 53 boxcars containing troops, was observed en route from Jagodzina, the border crossing point between Kovel and Lublin, to Jüterbog-Altes Lager.***
- 25X1A 6. Shuttle [REDACTED] of 25 boxcars loaded with troops, going toward Jüterbog-Altes Lager from the direction of Meissen; train 501 of 10 boxcars and one coach going from Jüterbog-Altes Lager to Meinsdorf; train 502 of 10 boxcars and one coach going from Jüterbog-Altes Lager to Cottbus.
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- Comment: Indicates departure of 8th Guards Army units from the Kindel maneuver area.
- Comment: Shuttle trains [REDACTED] have been used exclusively for the transport of troops from the USSR to the Russian Zone of Germany.
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In late September 1950 CHIANG Shih-chen, commander of the Chinese Communist 37 Army, who was in Peiping on a visit, stated that the 37 Army was still in Suiyuan but that he anticipated orders "soon" to go to Manchuria or perhaps Korea. If sent to Korea, he would welcome the opportunity to defect to United Nations forces.

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[REDACTED] Comment. See [REDACTED] concerning CHIANG's desire to defect.

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